

WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2020-2021: CLAY COUNTY



Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources

County Size: 469 square miles

Year Opened to Deer Hunting: 1970

Record Harvest: 2,560 (2007)

Average Harvest (2011-2020): 0,000

Total 2020-2021 Harvest (all seasons): 1,000

Permits issued/quota 2020-2021 (excludes

landowner; late winter are unlimited):

Firearm: 0000/3100 Muzzle: 000/475

Late Winter: 00

2020-2021 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):

00% M: 00% F;(00% antlered: 00% antlerless)

Chronic Wasting Disease Detected: No

Check Station Location: N/A

Late Winter/CWD Season in 2021-2022: Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

Time in Late Winter: 2005 - Present







